(7) THE MADRAS ESTATES LAND (REDUCTION OF RENT) AMENDMENT BILL[a], 1952.

* THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :—" Mr. Speaker, Sir, I beg to introduce the Madras Estates Land (Reduction of Rent) Amendment Bill, 1952, and move—

' *That the Bill be taken into consideration at once.*' "

MR. SPEAKER :—" I thought the Hon. Minister was moving a motion for referring the Bill to a Select Committee."

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :—" Sir, as this is a small Bill, I thought the Opposition was not particular of referring it to a Select Committee."

SRI T. VISWANATHAM :—" Sir, we are not only particular, but we have also given the list of names to be included in the Select Committee. I would suggest that the Hon. Minister himself may move a motion for referring the Bill to a Select Committee."

THE HON. SRI M. A. MANICKAVELU NAICKER :—" Sir, I made a last attempt to convince the hon. Leader of the Opposition. If they want the Bill to be referred to a Select Committee, I have no objection.

" Sir, in supersession of my previous motion, I beg to introduce the Madras Estates Land (Reduction of Rent) Amendment Bill, 1952, and move—

' *That the Bill be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the following Members and that leave of the House be granted under rule* 81 *for the Select Committee to consist of more than fifteen persons* :—

The Hon. Sri M. A. Manickavelu Naicker.
Sri K. Rajaram.
,, *S. Narayanappa.*
,, *G. Sivasankara Reddi.*
,, *P. Venkatasubbiah.*
,, *Ramasundara Karunalaya Pandiyan.*
,, *S. Jayarama Reddiar.*
,, *A. Sambasivam.*
,, *G. Latchanna.*
,, *C. V. Somayajulu.*
,, *T. Viswanatham.*
,, *N. Rathina Gounder.*
,, *K. Govinda Rao.*
,, *K. Venkaiah.*
,, *Vavilala Gopalakrishnaiah.*
,, *K. R. Viswanathan.*
,, *R. Siddanna Gowd.*' "

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MR. SPEAKER :—" The question is—

'That the Madras Estates Land (Reduction of Rent) Amendment Bill, 1952, be referred to a Select Committee consisting of the following Members and that leave of the House be granted under rule 81 for the Select Committee to consist of more than fifteen persons :—

The Hon. Sri M. A. Manickavelu Naicker.

Sri K. Rajaram.
,, S. Narayanappa.
,, G. Sivasankara Reddi.
,, P. Venkatasubbiah.
,, Ramasundara Karunalaya Pandiyan.
,, S. Jayarama Reddiar.
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,, K. Govinda Rao.
,, K. Venkaiah.
,, Vavilala Gopalakrishnaiah.
,, K. R. Viswanathan.
,, R. Siddanna Gowd.' "

The motion was carried.

MR. SPEAKER :—" I appoint the Hon. Sri M. A. Manickavelu Naicker to be the Chairman of the Committee."

(8) THE MADRAS REPEALING AND AMENDING BILL,[a] 1952.

THE HON. SRI K. P. KUTTIKRISHNAN NAYAR :—" Sir, I am not moving the Madras Repealing and Amending Bill, 1952, now. I will be moving it in the next session of the Assembly."

SRI T. VISWANATHAM :—" Sir, before you adjourn the House, may I submit that the Government should give us an idea when we are going to meet again."

MR. SPEAKER :—" I thought the Hon. Leader of the House has consulted the Leader of the Opposition."

SRI T. VISWANATHAM :—" Sir, I would make a suggestion. The work of the Select Committees will take some time; then there are some other important meetings for several of the Congress Members, and they may require about seven days in September;

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